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Between 1 and 7 June 1954, the following numbers of cars were loaded in the East German railroad districts:

Date in June	Berlin Total	Berlin For SHC	Greifswald Total	Greifswald For SHC	Schwerin Total	Schwerin For SHC	Cottbus Total	Cottbus For SHC
1	2,030	103	1,089	200	1,256	108	4,084	-
2	2,153	84	925	141	1,235	51	4,037	-
3	2,358	67	977	17	1,203	33	3,927	-
4	2,301	89	965	-	1,189	49	4,086	-
5	1,898	24	700	35	1,052	17	3,898	-
6	1,205	11	340	7	497	2	3,292	-
7	1,247	4	392	2	500	-	3,365	-

Date in June	Magdeburg Total	Magdeburg For SHC	Halle Total	Halle For SHC	Erfurt Total	Erfurt For SHC	Dresden Total	Dresden For SHC
1	3,458	22	9,841	42	4,367	72	4,964	19
2	3,502	31	10,053	71	4,433	91	5,215	21
3	3,493	54	9,846	35	4,519	54	5,173	36
4	3,393	-	9,989	14	4,357	39	5,054	-
5	3,350	9	9,710	41	3,906	14	3,882	12
6	2,320	22	8,513	9	2,526	11	2,682	29
7	2,093	1	8,241	22	2,297	13	2,330	42

1 [redacted] Comment. During the reported period the following average numbers of cars were loaded daily in the eight railroad districts: 25X1

Railroad District	Total Number of Cars	of which for SHC
Berlin	1,885	55
Greifswald	770	58
Schwerin	990	37
Cottbus	3,813	-
Magdeburg	3,087	20
Halle	9,443	33
Erfurt	3,772	42
Dresden	4,200	23
Total	27,960	268

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Compared to the last reported period, the total number of cars loaded decreased by 1,870. The loading performance decreased at an even rate in all the railroad districts, probably due to the Whitsun holidays . The number of cars ordered by the Soviet occupation forces also decreased to only 1 percent of the total number of cars loaded. The high rate of cars ordered by the Soviets in the Greifswald railroad district is probably connected to shipments of the Baltic Sea Fleet Army for firing practices at Rostock.

2. [redacted] Comment: Soviet High Commission. 25X1

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